

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/625,585	KIRCH ET AL.	

Examiner	Art Unit
Robert P. Swiatek	3643

All Participants:

Status of Application: Allowed

(1) Robert P. Swiatek.

(3) ____.

(2) Mr. S. Craig Hemenway.

(4) ____.

Date of Interview: 20 July 2005

Time: __

Type of Interview:

- Telephonic
- Video Conference
- Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Possible 35 USC 103(a)

Claims discussed:

2, 14

Prior art documents discussed:

Havener (US 3,341,909); Kondo (US 5,404,602)

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

Applicants' representative authorized amendment of claim 2 such that a leash is now recited; a change to claim 14 was authorized to overcome an informality.

Part III.

- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)